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ADDENDUM #3

INVITATION FOR BID #14-134

City of Newton Infrared Patch Street Repair

THIS ADDENDUM IS TO: **CHANGE THE BID OPENING DATE & PROVIDE AN ANSWER TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTION:**

BID OPENING DATE HAS BEEN CHANGED TO JUNE 19, 2014 AT 11:00

Q1. This question arises out of your answer to question one, in addendum number one.

Your answer to the question was: it is the bidding party's prerogative to bid this item as it deems appropriate. It is far different to bid this "with" or "without" a mobilization charge and must be answered even if it means delaying the bid, for "fair" competition. If you do not respond, I will have to assume that the mobilization is meant to be billed with the hourly rate per day.

A1. The Item Sheets in the IFB (pp. 63-64) ask for prices for 2 items, a Lump Sum for Mobilization and an Hourly Rate for the Patching Crew. The City will authorize multiple patch locations and the selected bidder will be paid at the hourly rate for each location as specified in its bid. The Lump Sum Mobilization fee is a single fee paid one time during the life of the contract, and will not be paid more than once. The selected bidder will only be compensated for Mobilization for the amount, if any, it lists in Item 1 of the Item Sheets. This will be a fixed one-time amount, although it may be pro-rated as a percentage amount of work completed at the time of the pay requisition. Though this Item may be paid in installments, during the life of the contract it will never be more than the amount shown in Item 1 of the selected bidder's bid.

All other terms and conditions of this bid remain unchanged.

As the bid opening has been extended to June 19, the City will also extend the time and date for answering bidders' questions. Questions may now be submitted until noon on Friday, June 13, 2014.

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU ACKNOWLEDGE ALL ADDENDA ON YOUR
BID FORM. FAILURE TO ACKNOWLEDGE ALL ADDENDA COULD
RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR BID AS NONRESPONSIVE.**

Thank you.



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